



Defensive Driving Board

Arizona State Courts Building
1501 West Washington Street
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

December 14, 2017
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Hearing Room 109

Approved Regular Session Minutes

MEMBER ATTENDANCE:

Present:

Telephonically Present:

Absent:

Daniel Edwards	Johnny Tse	Margaret Stephens-Reed
Walter "Jack" Weberg		
William "Patch" Pachnowski		
Thomas Davis		
William Riedel		
Paul E. Hallums		
Honorable Maria Brewer		

OTHER ATTENDEES:

AOC Staff:

Guests:

Mark Wilson	Ed Raymons, ABC School	Jennifer Adkinson
Kate Novak	Steve Sadir, DLC	Debbie Grado, ACNSC
Michelle Martinez	Jan Zahara, DriveSafeAZ	Hugh James, Right Turn TS
Hal White	David Irons, NTSI	Andrea Tazioli, Cheap Easy
Bill McIntyre	Alex Smith, NTSI	
Will Castro	Angelica Craig, City of Phoenix Municipal Ct.	
Pasquale Fontana	Debra Grossman, CPTS	
Tara Smith	Robert Grossman, CPTS	

CALL TO ORDER Daniel Edwards, Chair

Time: 9:59 a.m.

1) REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES Daniel Edwards, Chair

1-A: *Review, discussion and possible action regarding the regular session minutes for the meeting of October 19, 2017.*

Discussion: None.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept the regular session minutes of the October 19, 2017 meeting.

Motion Proposals: First Walter “Jack” Weberg
Second Thomas Davis

Motion Results: Pass

2) PENDING COMPLAINTS..... Bill McIntyre

2-A: *Review, discussion and possible action regarding complaint number 17-D003, involving certificate holder West Valley PHX Defensive Driving School.*

Discussion: Staff recommends that the Board dismiss the complaint.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept staff’s recommendation.

Motion Proposals: First: Walter “Jack” Weberg
Second: William “Patch” Pachnowski

Results: Pass

Recusals: Paul E. Hallums

2-B: *Review, discussion and possible action regarding complaint number 17-D004, involving certificate holder West Valley PHX Defensive Driving School.*

Discussion: Staff recommends that the Board dismiss the complaint.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

Motion Proposals: First: Walter "Jack" Weberg
Second: Thomas Davis

Results: Pass
Recusals: Paul E. Hallums

2-C: *Review, discussion and possible action regarding complaint number 17-D005, involving certificate holder Drive Safe AZ Traffic School, LLC.*

Discussion: Staff recommends that the Board dismiss the complaint and issue a letter of concern.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

Motion Proposals: First: William Riedel
Second: William "Patch" Pachnowski

Results: Pass
Recusals: Walter "Jack" Weberg

2-D: *Review, discussion and possible action regarding complaint number 17-D006, involving certificate holder ABC Defensive Driving.*

Discussion: Staff recommends that the Board dismiss the complaint and issue a letter of concern.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

Motion Proposals: First: Walter "Jack" Weberg
Second: Thomas Davis

Results: Pass

2-E: Update regarding the status of pending complaints.

Discussion: Michelle Martinez presented. No discussion.

Motion: None required.

3) INITIAL CERTIFICATION AND ELIGIBILITY.....Chris DeWitt

3-A: Review, discussion and possible action regarding pending applications for initial certification of the following defensive driving schools:

1. Defensive Driving Today LLC

Discussion: Staff recommends initial certification be granted to Defensive Driving Today LLC.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

Motion Proposals: First: William "Patch" Pachnowski
Second: Walter "Jack" Weberg

Results: Pass

2. Funny Driving, LLC

Discussion: Staff recommends initial certification be granted to Funny Driving, LLC.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

Motion Proposals: First: William Riedel
Second: Thomas Davis

Results: Pass

3. Central Phoenix Traffic School

Discussion: Staff recommends initial certification be granted to Central Phoenix Traffic School.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

Motion Proposals: First: Paul E. Hallums
Second: William Riedel

Results: Pass

3-B: Review, discussion and possible action regarding pending applications for initial defensive driving instructor certification for the following applicants:

1. Kevin Frei
2. Jorge Garza
3. Athene Robben

Discussion: Staff recommends initial certification be granted to Kevin Frei, Jorge Garza, and Athene Robben.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

Motion Proposals: First: Walter "Jack" Weberg
Second: William "Patch" Pachnowski

Results: Pass

4. Larry Lawrence

Discussion: Staff recommends initial certification be granted to Larry Lawrence.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

Motion Proposals: First: Walter "Jack" Weberg
Second: Thomas Davis

Results: Pass
Recusals: Paul E. Hallums

5. Sean Kirkwood

Discussion: Staff recommends initial certification be granted to Sean Kirkwood with standard non-disclosure language.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

Motion Proposals: First: William Riedel
Second: Paul E. Hallums

Results: Pass

6. Adrienne Driggs

Discussion: Staff recommends initial certification be denied to Adrienne Driggs.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

Motion Proposals: First: William "Patch" Pachnowski
Second: William Riedel

Results: Pass

4) CERTIFICATION AND ELIGIBILITYChris DeWitt

4-A: *Review, discussion and possible action regarding pending sale or transfer of both classroom and internet format for the following defensive driving schools:*

1. Arizona Defensive Driving School
2. Defensive Driving School of Arizona
3. Traffic Schools of Arizona
4. Ticket Dismissal of Arizona
5. Arizona Ticket Dismissal
6. Allstate Defensive Driving School

**Board Entered Executive Session:
10:20 a.m.**

**Return to Regular Session:
10:28 a.m.**

Discussion: Staff recommends approval of change in curriculum and sale and transfer of ownership for items 1-6.

Motion: Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

Motion Proposals: First: Thomas Davis
Second: William Riedel

Results: Pass

Recusals: William "Patch" Pachnowski

5) ADMINISTRATIVE ISSUESDivision Staff

None.

CALL TO THE PUBLIC *Daniel Edwards, Chair*

None.

ADJOURN *Daniel Edwards, Chair*

Motion: Adjourn meeting.

Motion Proposals: First: Walter “Jack” Weberg
 Second: William Riedel

Results: Pass.

Time: 10:32 a.m.